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"Serve the Church that the Church May Serve You."

CENTRAL UNITED CHURCH BLAIRMORE

Rev. E. B. Arrol, B.A., Minister

Sundays next:

11:00 a.m. Senior school.
2:00 p.m. Junior school.
7:30 p.m. Public Worship.

ST. LUKE'S CHURCH, BLAIRMORE

Rev. J. R. Hague, A.Th., Incumbent

Sundays next:

11 a.m., Holy Communion; Sermon.
12 Noon, Sunday School.

SALVATION ARMY, COLEMAN

Lieut. S. Nahrney and R. Hammond, Officers in charge.

Sunday services:

11:00 a.m., Holiness Meeting.
3:00 p.m., Sunday School.
7:30 p.m., Salvation Meeting.

Tuesday: 7:30 p.m., Red Shield Auxiliary and Home League.

Wednesday: Sunbeam Brownies at 4:30 p.m., Boys' Club 6 p.m.

Thursday: 8 p.m., Praise Meeting. Funerals and dedications on application to the local officer.

BELLEVUE BAPTIST CHURCH

Pastor Evangelist: Alfred Siple

11 a.m., Sunday school.

7:30 p.m., Evangelistic service. We preach the Victory Life of Christ, and invite you.

HILLCREST UNITED CHURCH

Services every Sunday at 3 p.m.

BELLEVUE UNITED CHURCH

Services at 7:30 p.m. every Sunday.

COWLEY UNITED CHURCH

Services alternate Sunday mornings at 11 o'clock.

Rev. W. H. IRWIN, Minister.

AIR CADETS OF CANADA

Turtle Mountain Squadron No. 157
Blairmore

Tuesdays—

Bugle Band parade — 1830-1930 hours

Thursdays—

Drill, for AC's (drill hall) 1900-1945

Rifle drill (school) — 1900-1945

Aircraft Recog., "A" Fit — 1945-2030

Signals, "B" Fit — 1945-2030

Aircraft Recog., "B" Fit — 2030-2115

Signals, "A" Fit — 2030-2115



Save the Coupons for War Savings Stamps

BLUE RIBBON

COFFEE—A Quality

Product Moderately Priced

THE PASS EIGHTEEN YEARS AGO

(The Blairmore Enterprise, 1925)
Sept. 3.—The death occurred at the ranch at Burns this week of Hugh Cameron, an oldtimer.

Rumor had it that J. D.S. Barrett, formerly of Coleman and now connected with a Cranbrook paper, was taking over a plant at Stavelay.

William Sherman this week resigned the presidency of District 18 of the U. M. W. of A.

The Royal Bank of Canada, since absorbing the Union Bank branches, now had 800 branches throughout Canada.

Canadian Elks decided on an official uniform—a purple fez with gold lettering and white tassel, a purple coat with white piping, purple tie, white trousers, purple socks and white shoes.

The Enterprise this week received a copy of The Western Star, published at Curling, Newfoundland, it being the first paper printed on newsprint produced by the Newfoundland Power and Paper Company Limited, whose new mill was claimed to be the largest in the world.

Sept. 10.—At the opening night of Coleman Elks' carnival this week no less than \$1,400 was taken in.

The Conklin & Garrett shows were in Fernie this week.

Carl Smith and party returned from Gould's Dome district with three big mountain sheep. The largest one's horns at the butt measured 17½ inches around.

Special meetings were being held by the hiring and firing squad dealing with Blairmore teachers.

Bob Levitt was last week declared president of District 18 of the U. M. W. of A.

Mark Drumm has severed connection with the Yuma (Arizona) Sun, to become advertising manager of the Calexico Chronicle. Mark was up to 1910 or 1911 publisher of the Frank Paper, later taken over by the Enterprise.

Mr. John Rayson Hague arrived at Coleman to assist the priest in charge at the Anglican church.

The Coleman Lodge of Elks was organized on September 9th with Alex. M. Morrison as exalted ruler, James Lote as leading knight, George Pattinson as loyal knight, Frank Graham as lecturing knight, W. L. Rippon as secretary and Charles Oulette as treasurer. A Blairmore team under Dr. R. K. Lillie conferred the third degree. At midnight a banquet was held at the Grand Union hotel. Robert Gray, of Blairmore, was organizer.

Sept. 17.—The Mar Poy restaurant and ice cream parlor was this week taken over by Paul Chardon, of Fernie. Poy had been a resident of Blairmore for 22 years.

Following a tieup, the Blairmore schools were reopened on Monday of this week with Mr. MacPherson, of Milk River, as principal; Eric Muncaster, Redcliff, vice-principal; Mrs. E. V. McSloy, Miss M. I. Hall, Miss R. Mooney, Miss H. C. Fitzgerald, Miss Dorothea Cox, Miss M. A. Hyson, Miss Grace Lyndon, Miss Mildred McDonald, Mrs. E. M. Gugen and Mr. John Rothe as staff.

Mr. W. Bird has accepted a position with the West Canadian Collieries Limited as their representative at Regina, Sask.

In those days a yell of "fire" would cause half the flappers to rush out of a theatre minus their shoes.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. D. Campo and family, of Blairmore, wish to thank all their friends who helped make the benefit dance a success. They also wish to extend their thanks to those who sponsored the dance and in other ways boosted the affair.

Fathers' Day has been set for June the 16th.

WILLIAM HARRISON PASSES

Death claimed one of Blairmore's oldest oldtimers on Tuesday evening in the person of William Harrison at the ripe age of 86 years and nine months, following a brief attack of pneumonia.

The late Mr. Harrison came to Blairmore upwards of thirty years ago. For some years he and his family resided on a ranch in the Ellice district, later taking up residence on Ninth Avenue south in what is known as the Pelletier Addition. Here he has resided ever since. His wife Mrs. Mary Jane Harrison, predeceased him eight years ago. Of a large family of children, but two survive, Mrs. F. Gilroy, of Blairmore, with whom he has resided for several years, and Richard Harrison, Michel. Several other members of the family predeceased him, including his sons Mark in 1913 and Charles in 1933.

Joseph Handley, of Creston, is a stepson.

Mr. Harrison was well known as "Dad," and was popular with all.

Funeral takes place from the home to Central United church at 2:30 on Sunday afternoon, to be attended by members of the local lodge of Elks, of which he was an honor charter member.

SERIOUS LABOR SHORTAGE

Mr. A. A. MacNamara states that during the winter we have enjoyed a temporary lull from necessity of meeting acute emergency shortages. In fact, there has been too much talk of layoffs and unemployment. Actually there have been few areas with a surplus of labor supply, and in few cases has the surplus been large.

We are moving into a year which will develop into a period of acute labor shortages to a degree undreamed of heretofore. Already the necessities of war require that large numbers of new men and women have to be sent into plants where there were layoffs a few months ago. Then thousands of men and women are needed immediately for heavy shell manufacture, packing plants are desperately in need of help, railways are pressing for men for shop and track work, base metal mining is short 2,000 men, foundries and implement plants are also short of labor. A quarter of a million men are needed for agriculture. These and other indications point to the most difficult year we have had to face in providing man power. Over and above these we must find 98,000 men in top physical condition for the armed forces.

We must meet the situation by a more vigorous and rigorous approach to compulsory transfers. We must comb all less essential industry and send more people to essential jobs. The mobilization division has called over one million men for examination for the armed forces, and over half of these have been rejected. We assure they are not all now engaged in essential jobs. Officers of the commission have authority to transfer men employed in industries or establishments included in the compulsory employment transfer order to industries where their services are vitally needed, and it will be necessary to use that authority vigorously if we are to meet existing shortages in the high labor priority establishments.

I can summarize my comments by saying that the war has not yet been won.

Central United church will observe Mother's Day with morning and evening services. The morning service will be a family service, parents and children worshipping together, with the young people of both Sunday schools taking part. At the evening service at 7:30 o'clock, the choir, directed by Mr. Moffatt, will render several selections. Honor Mother, by attending church next Sunday.

VICTORY LOAN NEAR TOP

As we go to press we receive word from Ottawa that Canada's Victory Loan total to date is very close to the \$1,200,000,000 mark. By Thursday sales had reached \$1,073,163,950, and it is fully expected the top will be reached, and then some, by tomorrow evening, the closing date.

SIXTH VICTORY LOAN RECORD

Hats off to Alberta's rural war loan canvassers. In their Sixth Victory Loan work, now closing, they are creating a spectacular record that bids fair to become the envy of all other sections of Canada.

This was the recent comment of E. E. Osborne, of Calgary, provincial chairman of the national war finance committee, when he revealed that at the end of the eleventh day of bond selling in the Sixth Loan (Friday last) 92 per cent of the rural objective had been achieved. At the close of the eleventh day in the Fifth Loan only 68 per cent of the country objective had been sold.

With each succeeding loan, the chairman stated, our appeal to all of our salesmen-colleagues has been to "sell more bonds to more people." During the first eleven days of this loan our rural canvassers have been doing this with a vengeance. Compared with the same period of the Fifth Loan, they increased the number of persons sold by 79 per cent and the total amount of subscriptions by 37 per cent.

Actual increase in the number of bond purchasers was 16,320, while the set-up in the total of bonds was \$2,738,850.

Mr. Osborne said these results were obtained in the 112 strictly rural Alberta war finance units. These are exclusive of all mining towns, for example, Blairmore in the south, and Nordegg in the north, Banff and Jasper, the far north mining areas, the cities of Edmonton, Calgary, Drumheller and Lethbridge, subscriptions by the armed forces and those of "special" nature from corporations or individuals. Returns from the cities of Red Deer, Medicine Hat and Wetaskiwin are included, he said, since these are entirely dependent upon and serve only rural people.

Nor was this splendid progress restricted to a small group of war finance units. Of the 112 strictly rural units, only four failed to increase the number of bond sales, and only five did not improve their percentage of quota obtained.

Pointing out that while, generally speaking, the areas of the rural units are the same during the current loan as they were for the Fifth Victory bond issue, a few units had changed their boundaries and thus officials were unable to make complete comparisons with justice to all. Mr. Osborne stated that in actual increase in the number of subscribers, the Stettler unit led the field with an improvement of 424 applications; Milk River bettered its position by 290; Stony Plain 287, Edgerton 288 and Magrath 279.

For percentage of quota sold, Standand had an increase over its percentage for the same period of the Fifth Loan of 386 per cent; Smoky Lake 120, Spirit River 110, Trochu 114 and Edgerton 112 per cent. The geographic distribution of these units and the diversity of their agriculture should be noted, the provincial chairman pointed out, for they reveal a united effort throughout Alberta.

These figures, Mr. Osborne concluded, demonstrate that despite threat of drought over a wide area and unfavorable livestock marketing conditions, rural people are "Putting Victory First" in grand style. They demonstrate, too, that the loan canvassers—often the "forgotten man" when Victory Loan results are reviewed, many of them busy farmers and merchants—are doing a magnificent job.

GOLF CLUB AWAY FOR SEASON

The Blairmore Golf Club got away for the season when the course was officially opened on Sunday, April 30. The main events of the day were mixed foursomes and hidden hole competitions, in which the winners were Muriel Taylor and Reg. Jones, foursomes, and Mrs. Bob Shaw and Harold McPhail, hidden hole. These events were followed by an enjoyable tea served by Mrs. Mudiman, Mrs. E. H. Morgan, Mrs. A. Miller and Mrs. George Penn. It has been decided to hold similar competitions on the last Sunday of each month.

LUMBERJACK MEETS DEATH

John Murray, well known lumber camp worker, was run over by a truck near the South Fork ranger station on Friday forenoon last, and died shortly afterwards while being rushed to hospital. He had been employed by the C. Dray Co., and had visited Blairmore the day previous. The body was brought to Blairmore on Friday afternoon and an inquest was held on Saturday, at which a verdict of accidental death was returned. The remains were laid to rest in the Union cemetery on Wednesday afternoon, following service conducted at the Crows' Nest Funeral Home by Rev. E. B. Arrol.

BLAIRMORE OVER THE TOP

Blairmore went over the top in her Victory Loan drive the early part of the week. The event was quite fittingly observed by a bomber plane which arrived from Lethbridge about 3:50 p.m. on Wednesday, dropping a pennant near the bandstand on Victoria street, where a large crowd of citizens had gathered. An attempt was made to lodge the pennant on the top of the flagpole, but it was missed by about twenty feet.

As we go to press we are informed that Blairmore has passed the \$100,000 mark. The objective was \$22,000.

WOMEN RECRUITS WANTED

By the end of June, 5,000 more women will be required to meet the present demand for the Canadian Women's Army Corps.

The policy for recruiting now is on a selective basis. Women with higher qualifications, trained or suitable for training as clerks, stenographers, cooks, operators (telephone and wireless), postal clerks, mechanics, dental assistants, pharmacists, laboratory technicians, etc., are needed. Alberta's quota is at least 450 women.

A CHANGE FOR THE BETTER

Rudolf Messerschmidt, 70-year-old Jerusalem resident from Switzerland, has applied to the government for permission to change his name to Rudolf Spitfire.

Indians in every part of Canada, and many of them from very meagre incomes, are making commendable contributions to the Dominion war effort. According to figures released by the Indian Affairs Branch of the Department of Mines and Resources, contributions of record at Ottawa total nearly \$25,000. Purchases of Victory bonds and war savings certificates are well maintained among all Indians, and numerous outright donations marked for "the war effort" have been reported. Of the war services, the Red Cross is the most popular. The Wings for Britain fund and overseas war relief organizations are favored by Indians in the west.

Capt. W. H. Gearing, who practised dentistry in Pincher Creek for a great many years prior to being commissioned in the Canadian army, has been promoted to the rank of major in No. 40 Company Canadian Dental Corps of Military District 13.



Members of Blairmore Lodge No. 15, B.P.O.E., are requested to assemble at the Lodge Hall on Sunday, May 14, at 1:30 p.m. to attend the funeral of the late Brother William Harrison.

ALEX. McKAY,
Exalted Ruler.

COWLEY HAPPENINGS

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Willdig, of the North Fork, were Wednesday visitors to Cowley.

Mrs. Emil Dejax and son Jimmy, and Mrs. Dejax's mother, Mrs. Valatsko, are on a visit to Pacific coast points.

Mrs. Verne Bone, whose husband is in the armed forces, is moving into town to reside for the duration.

The Ladies' Aid of the United church were entertained by Mrs. Arthur Tustian at her home on Thursday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Kenneth Martin and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Murphy were visitors to Calgary and Mossleigh on Thursday.

Two of our pioneer residents have been called to the Great Beyond in the last couple of weeks, Mr. Samuel King, who died and was buried in Calgary two weeks ago, and Mr. Joseph Wilson, who died and was buried at Pincher Creek on Monday. They will be greatly missed. Mr. King was a veteran of World War One.

The Cowley Young People's Society are making arrangements to hold sports here on Victoria Day, May 24. One of the main features will be baseball. A dance will be held at night. A band will be in attendance during the day. This enthusiastic group of young folk are putting the tennis courts into order, making ready for a summer of outdoor activities.

HATS OFF TO MRS. CONSUMER

The week of May 22 to 27 will be observed as "Mrs. Consumer Week," the idea being to pay a well deserved tribute to the women of the country for the part they have played in the Dominion's economic stabilization program. During the week women's organizations across the country will hold special meetings; anti-inflation exhibits will be arranged, and all are asked to unite in a salute to Mrs. Consumer.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Duncan, of Bellevue, received a very nice letter last week from their son Bill, who has been convalescing there for some time following injuries received on the war front. For a time after coming out of hospital Bill was able to navigate with difficulty on a pair of crutches. Lately he improved so that he can now get along with the use of a cane, and says that, instead of returning home, he'd like to have a hand in administering the real finishing touches to Hitler. Bill appears by his writing to be quite cheerful. It might be said here that BC fish are longing for Bill to come back, for they imagine nothing else to jump at.

Thirty-four years ago this week Rev. J. F. Hunter assumed the pastorate of Central Baptist church in Blairmore, replacing Rev. James Sargent.

Posthumous Award



Mrs. M. D. Fee, Calgary, was presented with the Bar to the Distinguished Flying Cross won by her husband, the late Wing Com. Clarke John Fee. The citation mentions "exceptional enthusiasm and brilliant leadership. Presentation was made at Rideau Hall, Ottawa, by the governor-general."

Good Work

Edmonton Man, Who Suffered From Broken Back Some Time Ago, Again Getting Nazi Planes A Canadian Mosquito pilot, WO. M. Simms of Vancouver, who took to the air again after suffering a broken back 18 months ago, shot down an enemy aircraft over a German airfield and damaged two others on the ground, in an early-morning mission.

Simms, a member of the R.C.A.F. City of Edmonton squadron, joined the unit after a remarkable recovery from the back injury. Until rescued after being hurt, he had to stay three days on Snowdon, a mountain in Caernarvon, Wales.

"When we came over the airfield it was a glorious sight to see the Hun fighters practically queuing up to land," he said on his return from the mission. "If we'd had time we could, perhaps, have done better. As it was, we sent two one-second bursts into an aircraft and it went straight down."

Returning later, Simms shot up two other aircraft in their dispersal areas.

Simms' navigator, PO. J. Sharples, Toronto, also had made a recovery from illness. A sufferer from chronic air sickness, Sharples was cured after allowing himself to be used as a test patient for a new cure discovered by Canadian naval and British doctors.

A Sad Ending

Britain Is The Land Of The Unexpected

Britain today is the land of the unexpected. The unexpected sometimes is happy, but often it is sad.

The world was wrapped in a rosy cloud as far as Elizabeth Smith was concerned. She was young and in less than a few hours she was to become Mrs. H. J. Elcomb. She spread her wedding dress daintily on the bed and admitted it for awhile—not knowing that in a few hours she would be wearing black instead of white.

A bomb struck the Elcomb flat and killed the husband-to-be and other family wedding guests who had already arrived to escort the bridegroom to the church.

News of the tragedy was brought to the bride in the midst of telegrams congratulating the bride and groom on the marriage that would never take place.

Has Wider Meaning

Warning To Ottawa Club Members Applies To Many People

The following is from a circular recently sent to members of the committee of an Ottawa club:

"During recent months there have been a number of incidents in the club, three of them having occurred within the past three weeks. In every instance the cause was gross carelessness in the use of cigarettes."

There's a moral for more than the members of clubs, says the Ottawa Journal.

WORLD'S BUSIEST JUNCTION

Two thousand five hundred trains run in and out of Clapham Junction Southern Railway every day, making it not only Britain's busiest junction but the world's. It covers nearly 35 acres, but its platforms are comparatively short, the longest being just over 700 feet, less than half those of more important stations.

The range of the early piano was only four octaves. 2567

WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Twenty-five per cent. of the imported foreign laborers in Germany are women. They work from 13 to 15 hours a day.

Capt. Thomas West of the Royal Navy made 88 sallies into "E-boat alley" during this war. His reward: the O.B.E.

Foreign Secretary Eden travelled 23,500 miles in attending the conferences at Moscow, Cairo and Teheran in two months.

Boeing Aircraft of Canada delivered \$25,000,000 worth of planes and other equipment last year, according to the annual report.

A 10,000-ton American Liberty ship to be launched in July will be named the Stephen Leacock in memory of the Canadian economist-humorist.

In four and one-half years of war, British lifeboats have rescued 5,547 lives, an average of 24 every week. In the First Great War the weekly average was 19.

Rudolf Messerschmidt, 70-year-old Jerusalem resident from Switzerland, applied to the government for permission to change his name to Rudolf Spittler.

In the last 12 months, 15,500 cadets of Britain's air training corps have been taught various stages of gliding. The corps, now three years old, numbers 170,000 cadets.

The agriculture department announced 115,000,000 pounds of vegetables were grown in 1945 in 209,200 wartime gardens in Canadian cities with populations of more than 1,000.

Creates Problem

Larger Size Planes Require Runway

Like Main Highway

Increase in plane size and performance creates a problem to the men who build the runways on airfields in England. The added pressure creates more wear and tear on the runways and all fields which are not used exclusively for light aircraft, must have runways built like a main highway. Most of these have from 9 to 12 inches thickness of concrete from 50 to 100 yards wide. Besides the main runway in the prevailing wind, an airfield usually has two subsidiary runways, for taking off into winds that deviate from the prevailing one.

Buy War Savings Stamps Regularly.

Railway Man Loses Hands In War But Signs Up For Victory Bond



"All out for victory," said Raoul Aude demobilized as Major in the Canadian Active Army to re-establish himself in civil life as station agent at Lévis, Que., for the Canadian National Railway with whom he had been employed as relieving agent prior to joining the Chaudière Regiment in September, 1939.

While serving overseas Major Aude lost both hands in a grenade explosion. After hospitalization he

adapted himself to the use of devices performing many manual functions and became so adept as to resume his use of a telephone key.

In the photograph Major Aude (right) is seen with J. A. Trudel, Canadian National superintendent of the Lévis division, signing for a bond of the Sixth Victory Loan issue. Major Aude, with personal experience and knowledge of what war means, declared "We must put Victory First."

Splendid Fighters

Natives Of Fiji Islands Doing Their Bit In This War

When Kipling wrote of the "Fuzzy Wuzzies" he was not describing the natives of Britain's principal Pacific colony; the once cannibal Isles of the Fijis, but he might have been. The Fijian's kinky hair, worn in that fashion for protection against the sun, makes the name fit him as a cartridge does its chamber. Once one of the most warlike of the races or tribes of Oceania, the Fijian has changed under 75 years of missionizing and humane colonial administration to a peaceable and respected citizen of the British empire.

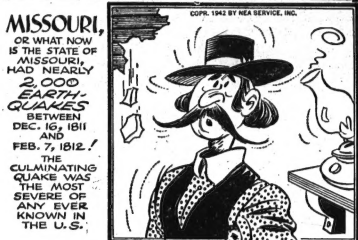
That he still is a mighty warrior when the occasion demands, however, is attested by the story from Bougainville that a Fijian battalion fighting there with the United States troops ran up a score of 125 Japanese dead against one Fijian killed and two wounded. Kipling's "Fuzzy Wuzzies" never fought that well. No white battalion has bettered that record.—New York Times.

EVERYTHING GOES

When native tribesmen of West Africa visit friends or relatives for more than a couple of days, they take nearly all of their personal belongings and livestock along.

THIS CURIOUS WORLD

By William Ferguson



ANSWER: If you can, we'd like to know it too.

REG'LAR FELLERS—Simple Receivership



BY GENE BYRNES

A Big Order

Says Russia May Purchase Hydro-Electric Equipment In Canada

The Toronto Globe and Mail says that an Ottawa dispatch that the Russian government is negotiating through its trade representatives in Canada for the purchase of Hydro-Electric generating equipment to replace Dnepfer installations destroyed in the German advance in 1941.

"While the amount and details of the proposed deal are a closely-guarded secret, it is understood that the cost of the equipment would be in the neighborhood of \$25,000,000," says the story. It said the Canadian government would guarantee low-interest bank credits to equipment manufacturers to finance the manufacture.

The lowest temperature ever recorded in Rome was 16 degrees above zero.

Medal Could Wait

Corporal Was More Interested In Winning Poker Game

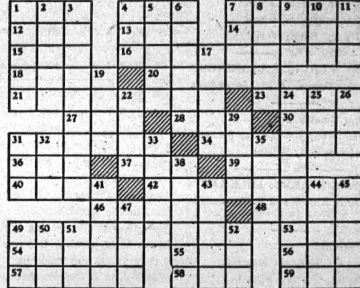
Corporal Josh Sullivan of the Australian Army has done well in the Rangoon Valley fighting, so well that he was given a Military Medal. He was in the hospital at Melbourne when it arrived so the Colonel took it along to the ward. A poker game was in progress and Josh was well in it. He drew the Colonel aside and whispered, "I'm holding well, Colonel; do you mind if we finish the hand?" The Colonel waited.

NO EXCESS POSSIBLE

Francis Bacon, in his Essays said: "The desire of power in excess caused the angels to fall; the desire of knowledge in excess caused man to fall; but in charity there is no excess; neither can angel or man come in danger by it."

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Answer to No. 4881



LIFE'S LIKE THAT

By Fred Neher



"Every year you plant a victory garden... and the weeds win the victory!"

"YOUR BREAD IS TOPS!"



"MY YEAST IS TOPS!"



ROYAL YEAST CAKES

Made in Canada

ENSURES EASY BAKING—MAKES LUSCIOUS, SWEET-TASTING, EVEN-TEXTURED LOAVES

WRAPPED AIRTIGHT TO PROTECT POTENCY—ALWAYS DEPENDABLE!

OUR COMPLETE SHORT STORY—

HOT BACON

By FRANK BENNETT

McClure Newspaper Syndicate

When fire was discovered in the forward hold of the Divina, every man except Easy Rellly turned pale. The fire didn't seem to excite him much. He just let out a few good American cusses and bellowed, "Let's put the fire out!"

But the rest of us had just one idea about it—to get away. You see, there were ten tons of ammunition—everything from machine-gun cartridges to fifty-pound bombs—packed in boxes marked BACON and stored in that hold. Besides, there was the South American coast within sight. No, sir, we didn't bother to put out the fire. We made a rush for the two lifeboats, ripped off the canvas covers and climbed in. That is, everyone did except Easy.

Easy had one leg over the gunwale of my boat when Dutch Joe said in German, "To think of all the money we were going to get out of that ammunition—it makes me sick!"

Now, Easy didn't know much German, but he did know the word for money. He lifted his foot out of the boat. "Money," he said in English. "I gotta have money. Why, Sadie

and me can't get married if I don't get my money." And he turned right around and started for the hold.

"Come back here, you idiot!" I yelled after him.

"Maybe that fire ain't so bad as you boys think," he said, keeping right on his way. "Maybe it can be put out easy."

I got up with the intention of going after the big boob and dragging him back to the boat, but Captain Yost roared, "Sit down, sir! Lower the boat!"

The last glimpse I had of Easy was his big blond head disappearing into the hatch. Then the boat went over the steel rail and settled into the water. Someone shoved an ear into my hands, and I fell into the stroke. Swiftly we began pulling away from the Divina and her ten tons of heil-raising "bacon."

I sat facing the ship. Smoke poured out of the forward hatch; big white billowy clouds of it. The air was still, and the sea was as smooth as glass. That smoke spread out and hung in the sky like a big circus tent, and down there among those bacon boxes was Easy Rellly—big, dumb, good-natured Easy.

I'd run across Easy in—well, no matter where. He was broke and out of a job—and homeless. When he learned that I was from the States he nearly cried for joy. Then he showed me Sadie's picture and told me about a dairy farm somewhere in Wisconsin. He wanted Sadie, and she wanted the farm—and that took money.

"How would you like to help run some supplies through the blockade?" I asked. "It's a gamble—a long shot, but if we make it you can buy the farm and more cows than you and Sadie can milk in a forty-eight-hour day. It's dangerous, but—"

"When do I start workin'?" he interrupted.

Easy was a poor sailor, solid bone between the ears, but he had one saving virtue, and that was his strength. He could carry those boxes of ammunition around as if they were really filled with bacon, and do it easily. In fact, he could do any kind of hard work easily if someone had the patience to teach him how. I guess that's why he got his nickname.

In spite of his thick-headedness he wasn't a bad sort, and since he and I were, the only Americans on board, we were together a lot. He talked most of the time about Sadie.

I was thinking of all this as we put more water between us and the ship and how I had got Easy into this mess, so I leaned back on my ear and said in German, "Captain, that fool kid may come to his senses before it's too late and jump overboard. Let's hold up and see what happens."

"Oh," Captain Yost said. "We're too close to stop."

"Look!" cried Dutch Joe. "There's the fool now."

Sure enough, there was Easy leaning over the rail of the Divina, shouting something we couldn't understand.

Yost cupped his hands and bellowed, "Jump, you fool, jump!" Then, remembering Easy was pretty weak in German, turned to me: "You tell him, Stanton."

I got up and shouted, but Easy just stood there waving his arms and yelling back. "We're too far away," I said at last. "He can't hear me."

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The captain swore in three or four different languages; then said, "Keep rowing."

"He's gone," Dutch Joe said, pointing his chin at the ship.

Suddenly Easy reappeared at the rail with the captain's megaphone.

"Come back," he called. "Come back! I put the fire out. The ship's safe."

"What a man!" Captain Yost said as we rowed toward the Divina.

"What a man! As strong as an ox, as brave as a lion!"

A little later I had Easy down in the cook's galley, sneering his face and hands with lard.

"You know, Jack," he said, "it got pretty hot down there. I was about ready to give up once. Even thinkin' about Sadie didn't help much. Then I kept readin' the word 'bacon' on these boxes and that made me think about those poor hungry devils on shore—I've been hungry myself—and the first thing I knew, I had that fire licked. Yes, sir, that bacon'll sure taste good to 'em."

"Bacon?" I laughed. "Those boxes were just labeled that way to fool the authorities. Every box is crammed with explosives. That's why they were so heavy."

"Explosives?" Easy sank down on a stool.

"You don't mean to say . . . ?" I never finished the sentence for Easy had fainted dead away.

Preferred By Churchill

British Prime Minister Likes The Term "Mother Country"

Prime Minister Churchill prefers the term "Mother Country."

He asked leave to use it while speaking during the recent Empire debate, contending, "It would be dangerous to plunge out in new nomenclature." For instance, he thought substituting the "mother country" by "the elder sister country" would not meet with success.

An old song of his youth, the Prime Minister said, was "a boy's best friend is his mother," and that, he suggested, "seems to be worth sometimes humming again."

FOR WESTERN PROVINCES

Establishment of a veterinary college for the four Western Provinces, possibly at University of Saskatchewan, Saskatoon, was decided on at a conference at Calgary. Representatives of Provincial Departments of Agriculture reported a shortage of trained veterinarians to serve agricultural interests.

This Week's Pattern



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LONG-LETT WANT

A new type table napkin designed to replace the kind that is always slithering off laps onto the floor, now is on display at Boston. Termed a "lapkin", it consists of a standard dinner napkin with a button-hole in one corner, permitting it to be attached to the diner's coat or vest.

Trials Compared

Canadians Do Not Realize What British People Have Endured

Our war "privations" in Canada are utterly trivial when compared to what the people of Britain have had to bear, and what many of them are now facing in the evacuation of their homes. One has rightly said that what we in Canada, spared from the cruel and devastating ravages of war, owe to "those sturdy Islanders who could not be cowed or driven into panic," is beyond all computation. They have won and richly deserve our deepest gratitude and affection.—Halifax Herald.

SELECTED RECIPES

HONEY KISPS ICE CREAM
3 cups oven-popped rice cereal
3 tablespoons butter
1/2 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup chopped, toasted nut meats
1 1/2 cups evaporated milk
2 eggs
1/2 cup honey
1/4 teaspoon almond flavoring OR
1 teaspoon vanilla

Crush cereal. Melt butter in heavy frying pan, add cereal, sugar, and nut meats. Mix well. Cook, stirring constantly until sugar melts and caramelizes slightly. Cool and crumble mixture.

Chill milk until very cold. Whip until stiff. Beat eggs with honey, add flavoring and fold into whipped milk. Pour into refrigerator trays and freeze partially. Mix 1/2 of crumb mixture with partially frozen ice cream. Pack in refrigerator trays or in paper cups. Sprinkle remaining crumb mixture on top. Freeze.

Yield: 2 quarts.

ABOUT THE JAPS

Anyone who knows the Japs will tell you that to belittle their Emperor in broadcasts would be to unite the whole Japanese nation, military and civilian, in a fierce hatred of the belittlers. No, the Allies are not pussyfooting when they do not call Hirohito names on the air. It would simply be poor propaganda to do so.—Quebec Chronicle-Telegraph.

Food Rules

Healthful Eating Is Good Eating, Says Dr. L. B. Pett

"Meal times and meals themselves should be anticipated with pleasure and enjoyed with gusto," says Dr. L. B. Pett, director of Nutrition Services at Ottawa.

"With no foods barred by prejudice and the Food Rules providing a simple guide to the foods essential to health, families will find that healthful food is good eating."

From the idea that bananas would give the baby convulsions, to the theory that fruit and milk should never be taken at the same meal, food fads have, from time to time, swept the country like a prairie fire.

As increasing knowledge of nutrition showed these food fancies to have no basis in scientific fact, many foolish ideas have passed into oblivion. However, surveys made of the eating habits of different groups of people show that there are still many whose meal plans are guided by prejudice and outmoded theories which prevent them getting the foods they need for health.

The daily "musts" are milk, fruits, vegetables, whole grain cereals and meat or one of its alternates. Add at least three or four eggs a week; serve liver, heart or kidney once a week and remember cod liver oil for the children. These are the simple rules for healthful eating. When the "musts" are looked after, the "likes" can be added.

VALUES HIS DOG

In July, 1941, G. W. R. Thompson was ordered by a court at Bromley, England, to destroy his dog and told he would be fined \$4.50 for every day the animal continued to live. He has paid \$2,250 and still refuses to kill the dog.

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Blairmore, Alta., Fri., May 12, 1944

Even the government puts water in liquor to make it go farther and produce more revenue. Why shouldn't autoists try the same scheme with gasoline and oil?

The big CPR demonstration farm at Strathmore has been sold to Capt. Harry Veiner, of Medicine Hat and Calgary, messing and catering office for Military District No. 13.

Jack Norton, of the government ranger station at The Gap, was a visitor to town on Monday, guest of "Doc" Lillie at the dental parlor. Jack weighed in before and after the operation.

Mrs. Don Robertson and twin daughters, Joan and Judy, are guests of Mr. and Mrs. James Robertson at Pincher Creek while waiting to find a home in Blairmore, where Don has been transferred.

Mr. P. Chardon, who has been very much under the weather of late, was taken to Calgary by car on Thursday, accompanied by Nurse Willows, Mrs. R. Pinkney and Mr. Idris Evans, who drove the car.

During April the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks of Canada and Newfoundland turned over an additional \$17,000 to the Save the Children Fund, bringing their total giving for the past two years to more than \$47,000.

Francis Pennefather, aged 81, old-time figure in Canadian Pacific Railway history in the west, passed away at Winnipeg on Sunday morning. For seventeen years Mr. Pennefather was district master mechanic, first at Cranbrook, then at Winnipeg.



AUCTION SALE OF TIMBER

CROWNST- BOW RIVER FOREST RESERVE

Timber Sale No. 343

The right to cut certain timber on the following lands will be offered at public auction at the office of the Acting Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, at 2:00 o'clock p.m. on Tuesday, the thirteenth day of May, 1944.

Sections 10 and 15, that portion of Section 14 outside the limits of License Timber North No. 58, and the North West quarter of Section 11, all in Township 5, Range 4, West of the 5th Meridian.

On these lands there is estimated to be five million lineal feet of fire killed spruce and pine suitable for the manufacture of nine timbers, and two million feet board measure of fire killed spruce and pine suitable for the manufacture of lumber, but only such timber shall be cut as is marked or otherwise designated.

The sale price will be offered at an upset price of 1-5c per lineal foot for fire killed spruce and pine on which dues shall be payable at the rate of \$1.50 less per thousand feet board measure than the rate prescribed by the Regulations.

The purchaser will be allowed until May 1st, 1945, to cut and remove all timber covered by the Conditions of Sale.

Each bidder will be required to deposit with the officer conducting the sale the sum of \$1,150.00 in cash, bank draft or accepted cheque on a chartered bank in Canada or by certified treasury branch order cheque or certified non-negotiable transfer payable to the order of the Provincial Treasurer before being allowed to bid. Agents will be required to file licenses of authorization from their principals before bidding. The deposits of the unsuccessful bidders will be returned to them at the conclusion of the sale and that of the purchaser held as a deposit to guarantee compliance with the terms and conditions of sale.

Full particulars may be obtained from the Acting Forest Superintendent, 128 - 7th Avenue West, Calgary, Alberta, or the Director of Forestry, Edmonton, Alberta.

T. F. BLEPGEN,
Director of Forestry,
Department of Lands & Mines,
Edmonton, Alberta,
April 29th, 1944. [May 5, 12, 19]

Mrs. Hobson, regent of the Crown's Nest Chapter of the IOOE, returned over the week end from Edmonton, where she attended the annual provincial convention.

The ladies of the IOOE held their regular whist drive on Tuesday evening of May 2nd. There were seven tables at play, the winners being Mrs. James Stewart, first; Miss E. Kidd, second; Mrs. Gilderdale, mystery box.

Hubby: "Here's something interesting. In New York a child is born every two minutes."

Wife: "Good heavens! And we're planning to stay there two weeks."

LOCAL AND GENERAL ITEMS

Marco Peressini, who has been in the armed services in Canada and Europe since the commencement of the war, arrived home last week end to spend a brief furlough with his parents before returning overseas. He leaves for the east tomorrow.

Rain showers during the past few days have been more than welcomed throughout this district, and in fact throughout the greater part of the province. Locally, however, there has not been enough of it to raise our streams, and there is really a water shortage.

Shells are no longer made from solid steel, but from more accurately forged billets. This alone has saved England 400,000 pounds of steel and no less than eighteen million man hours in the production of just one range of shells, not to mention the substantial savings in fuel.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Upton were visitors from Macleod on Sunday last. Their son, LAC Roy E. Upton, was an honor graduate in general proficiency at No. 3 Wireless School at Winnipeg, and attended the graduation banquet of the RCAF-RAF at the Marlborough hotel on April 19th last. The total class numbered 138.

Russell Garnett, 21, from Detroit, charged at Edmonton with theft and house breaking, admitted having escaped from a road gang in Los Angeles, Cal., and acknowledged previous convictions in the U.S. for larceny, and deserting the American army. On Friday he was sentenced to two years in Prince Albert penitentiary on each charge.

At the beer probe in Edmonton last week end, Mr. Carl E. Berg, vice-president of the Trades and Labor Congress of Canada, stated that a vicious monopoly exists in the provinces of Alberta, Saskatchewan and Manitoba, where many hotels were owned by the breweries. He exhibited a trick glass which he claimed was being used. It held but four ounces, when the Alberta Liquor Control Board regulations call for 7 1/2 ounces of beer per ten-cent glass.

KNOCKED OUT OF THE SCRAP BY SCRAP

SAVE SCRAP METALS, RAGS, PAPER & RUBBER

Six members of the radical Sons of Freedom Deukchors disbanded in police court at Vancouver while sixteen others were appearing for trial on charges of parading in the nude and failing to show national registration cards. Fourteen of the gang were sentenced for 2 1/2 to 3 years.

Mrs. James B. (Agnes Maggie) Jacques, 50, mother of Mrs. Dr. R. K. Lillie, of Blairmore, passed away in Calgary on Monday. Surviving are her husband, five daughters and three sons; also her mother, Mrs. Catherine Wachowicz. Funeral will take place tomorrow morning at 9 o'clock. Dr. R. K. and Mrs. Lillie are in Calgary to attend the last rites.

Treating is still in order in this district. Over the week end the rotunda and hallway floors of the Cosmopolitan hotel were very nicely treated to their tri-annual coating. The rotunda was closed to traffic for three days to permit the new coating to properly dry. Besides this treating spirit, generosity was further extended when everybody was invited to take the side door. One guy tried to take it off.

June: "I wonder why there are so many more auto wrecks than railway accidents?"

Vi: "That's easy. Did you ever hear of a freeman hugging the engineer?"

Pete: "There's only one way to get rid of your surplus fat: exercise and plenty of it."

Jerry: "Nonsense. How do you account for my wife's double chin?"

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Education in Europe

ALLIED WAR CORRESPONDENTS in Italy report that work has already been commenced on the task of reorganizing the educational system in that country and of ridding the text books and curriculum of Fascist propaganda. For over twenty years the heavy taught children in Italian schools has been distorted to suit the purpose of the Fascist Regime, and similar distortions have been made in any subject where an opportunity appeared. The harm which has been done by instilling the false principles of Fascism and Nazism into the minds of the youth of Italy has been amply demonstrated, and it is agreed that work cannot be commenced too soon on the task of cleansing the educational system of this influence. Text books are being re-written to replace those which were formerly used, but much more difficult than the revision of texts will be the process of rationalizing the minds of the thousands of Italian students who have passed through Italian schools during Mussolini's Regime.

Nazi Ideas Are Widely Taught

This problem applies not only to Italy, but to Germany and to all the countries which have been under Nazi domination. With complete thoroughness, the Germans have used the schools as a means of perpetuating their system of government. To this end, they have seized or destroyed text books containing anything favourable to democracy, and eliminated all teachers who were not in sympathy with Nazi ideas. In some of the Occupied countries, the German language has been enforced in the schools, to the exclusion of the national language. The grave effect of all this on the minds of school children is realized, and the governments of Occupied countries, exiled in Britain, have made plans for a complete and far-reaching reorganization of education when peace is restored. In October, 1942, a conference of Ministers of Education was held in Britain, with the object of discussing and exchanging views on general problems of education in Europe, and the United Kingdom.

Many Nations Study Problem

The countries represented at this conference included: Belgium, Czechoslovakia, Greece, Holland, Luxembourg, Norway, Poland, Yugoslavia, and the French National Committee. The chairman was Mr. R. A. Butler, president of the British Board of Education, and observers were present from all the 'British Dominions, India, the United States, Russia and China. Much practical work has been accomplished as a result of this conference, at which several commissions were appointed to consider specific problems. A commission on books and periodicals has made progress in arranging to supply libraries and educational institutions in Europe after the war, and already over forty sets of books and periodicals have been purchased for this purpose. A further undertaking is that of a committee of Allied historians who are planning the publication of two books, a History of European Civilization for pupils from sixteen to eighteen, and a Handbook of suggestions for teachers of history in all types of schools. The Allied Ministers of Education hope that in addition to re-establishing sound educational systems in their own countries after the war, they may also lay foundations for "inter-Allied, and eventually international co-operation in educational matters in the post-war world."

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SUBJECT TO CORRECTION

The Ottawa Citizen says: As currently estimated by the U.S. Bureau of Standards, and subject to correction if anyone wishes to cavil, the weight of the world in tons is six followed by 21 ciphers, or in plain figures 6,000,000,000,000,000,000,000. That seems to take it definitely out of the lightweight class, though on recent performance we believe that if weighed in the balance it still would be found wanting.

Cotton is used in self-sealing gasoline tanks for airplanes.

Hazardous Job

Salvage Operation By Canadian Navy Sets Example

Salvage men of the Royal Canadian Navy a few months ago were commended by the United States War Shipping Administration for their part in a hazardous job. A Liberty ship had been turned into an inferno of flames and fumes after a collision with a tanker. Towed into an eastern Canadian port, the vessel was beached and successfully salvaged.

Not everyone is called upon to do dangerous and difficult work like this but in many cases the salvage of paper, rags, fats and bones in Canadian homes can be almost as important as the salvaging of a flame-scared cargo.

Waste paper, especially brown paper, containers and corrugated paper are now urgently required because of the great scarcity of virgin pulp wood, and because of the greatly increased need of paper containers for the packaging and shipment of food and munitions supplies to Canada's armed forces overseas and at home.

Rags are an important salvage item for they are urgently needed by the Royal Canadian Air Force and by many of the country's largest munitions factories.

Fats and bones, salvaged from Canadian kitchen commands, are required for the preparation of basic ingredients for canteens, pharmaceuticals, etc., and adapted for hospitals and Canada's armed forces.

SMILE AWHILE

Brown—How are you getting along at home since your wife went away.

Smith—Fine! I've reached the highest point of efficiency. I can put my socks on from either end.

Miss Green—I know he's rich, but isn't he too old to be considered eligible.

Mrs. Brown—My dear, he's too eligible to be considered old.

"All extremely bright men are considered."

"Oh, I don't know, I'm not."

"My young lady is terribly dear, and I'm in awful trouble, Bob."

"Well?"

"I had to say so loudly when I proposed to her that the woman next door has used me for the breach of promise."

"Why are you wearing spectacles, old man?"

"Well, through crossword puzzles I've contracted an optical defect. One eye travels vertically and the other horizontally!"

"Do you find it more economical to do your own cooking?"

"Oh, much." Since I have been cooking my husband only eats half what he used to."

Man—So my speech at the dinner last night reminded you of the days when we were courting. How was that?

Wife—I thought you would never come to the point.

"And is the price incognito?" asked the reporter, referring to a titled guest.

"Well, no sir," replied the hotel porter. "I don't know as I'd say that. But it's certainly 'ad a few.'"

Bill—I hear they have taken the early morning train off your route. Do you miss it?

John—Not since they have taken it off!

"Will you marry me if I have my health rejuvenated?" asked the millionaire octogenarian.

"I'll marry you, all right," said the sweet young thing. "But you leave your health the way it is."

"Why is marriage like a cafeteria?"

"Because you grab what looks nice to you and pay for it later."

"You've been here two years and never complained," she said to her call-skinner. "What are you leaving for now?"

"I just found out you ain't got no bathtub."

CARRIED IN TANKS

War Services Minister LaFleche said in the Commons that comforts for Canadian troops in Sicily and Italy went to these areas in the same boats as the soldiers and were packed in tanks. The tanks, filled with cigarettes and other comforts, "of course were emptied of the comforts before they went ashore." The comforts were carried ashore separately.

Price Control And Rationing Information

Q—Since meat rationing has been suspended, is there still a price ceiling on meats?

A—There certainly is a price ceiling on meat. Butchers and all those selling meat would like to see the regular meat charts posted in their stores in a position where the consumer may see them. These charts show the cuts of meat and the prices at which the storekeeper is allowed to sell them.

Q—We have a little green house and sell house plants in the spring. We want to know if we can raise the price from 25c a box to 30c a box. We think 25c is not enough with the high price of seeds and coal.

A—Garden plants that you mention as houseplants are exempt from the maximum price regulations.

Q—What is the necessary procedure to secure a ration book for my new baby?

A—A ration book for the new baby may be obtained by applying to your local ration board. Any adult member of the family may secure it for you. You should have either the baby's certificate or baptismal certificate. If these certificates cannot be obtained the parent applying for the book will have to sign an affidavit on the form provided.

Q—Thanks for sending me that grand little booklet on how to make clothes. Some of my friends are interested and would like to secure copies. Can they get them now?

A—There are still copies of the Consumer Branch Re-Make Booklet available. Write to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province for copies.

Please send your questions or your request for the pamphlet "Consumers' News" or the Blue Book "the book in which you keep track of your selling prices" mentioning the name of this paper to the nearest Wartime Prices and Trade Board office in your province.

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GEMS OF THOUGHT

BEAUTY

Every trait of beauty may be referred to some virtue, as to innocence, gentleness, generosity, modesty, or heroism.—Pierce.

Goodness is a special kind of truth and beauty. It is truth and beauty in human behavior.—H. A. Overstreet.

The most natural beauty in the world is honesty and moral truth.—For all beauty is truth.—Shakespeare.

To cultivate the sense of the beautiful, is one of the most effective ways of cultivating an appreciation of the divine goodness.—Bryce.

The recipe for beauty is to have less illusion and more soul, to rest from the belief of pain or pleasure in the body into the unchanging calm and glorious freedom of spiritual harmony.—Mary Baker Eddy.

Who walks with Beauty, has no need of fear; The sun and moon and stars keep pace with him, Invisible hands restore the ruined year.

And time itself, grows beautifully dim.—Robert Nathan.

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GARDEN NOTES

Garden Plants

Beginners are inclined to worry too much about insect and other garden pests, experienced gardeners believe. True, there is almost one special insect for every plant that grows in the garden. Usually we can purchase ready-mixed materials. The important thing is to get these applied just as soon as damage or pests first appear.

General Care

The most important job, after a garden is planted, is cultivation. There are others, too, and they should not be neglected by all of them, the experts agree. Timely cultivation heads the list. The major object is not just to destroy weeds, though that is a valuable by-product, but to stir up the soil, to check evaporation of water and to generally produce a healthy environment for the growing plants.

After heavy rains, which will pound the soil down and encourage hard surface baking when the sun comes out, it is especially desirable to go over the garden with a cultivator. In the small Victory plot or flower bed, cultivation can be carried out with a hand tool. Where the establishment is larger, a rake, hand-drawn cultivator or a horse or motor-powered seeder or cultivator will do the work.

Most professionals make it a regular practice to cultivate once a week during June and early July, and especially after each heavy rain. One should be careful, however, not to work the soil when it is still wet and soggy. This will do more harm than good as it is liable to pack the ground into hard lumps which will bake in the hot sun. It is important to wait until the garden soil remains moist, but not muddy.

Concentrate

If the plot of vegetables is very tiny, then authorities advise concentrating on those vegetables which give the biggest yield. This means small, compact things like cabbages, carrots, beets, lettuce, radish, spinach, beans, and possibly a few stalked greens. The first five items even 10 feet of row if given a little attention in the way of thinning, cultivation, weeding, watering and fertilizing, should produce three or four good meals for the fair-sized family. Compact rows can be spaced a mere foot apart, a plot a dozen feet each way will grow a lot of spinach and beans take a little more space, but 20 feet of row will furnish several meals.

Tomatoes will take up more room, but if stacked can go in about 18 inches apart. One plant will grow a big basket of tomatoes, and if all side shoots are nipped off and the plant tied loosely to a six-foot stake it will ripen the fruit surprisingly early.

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Television Industry

Extensive Research In Britain Has Brought Good Results

Thousands of ex-servicemen and women will find employment in a comparatively new industry after the war—television. Enthusiasts predict that it will sweep through Britain and make it possible for her people to see the world right in their homes.

J. L. Baird, famous television pioneer, claims that through extensive wartime research Britain will be far advanced than all her competitors, including the United States.

Mr. Baird and British experts already have conducted successful demonstrations of color and stereoscopic (three dimensional) television.

Three sets have been produced. The first is a "cheap" set which would be "the television for every home." It will show three-dimensional pictures both in color and black and white. This set would receive the ordinary BBC programs.

The second set is much the same as the "cheap" one, but larger. The third set is a luxury model. It would consist of an automatic changer for gramophone records, and an all-wave radio set.

The "Television" created by British technicians has eliminated blurred outlines and reproduced faithfully the delicate shadings of color in a girl's hair and complexion.

Since the war started, astonishingly successful results have been achieved in the reproduction of color and life-like effect on the stereoscopic screen.

A QUEER BIRD

The South American hoactin has toes on its wings. Before it is able to fly, the young escapes from danger by diving from the nest into the water below; it uses the extra feet in climbing back to the nest when the danger is past.

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Will Draft Men From Industry For War Service

OTTAWA—Labor Minister Mitchell said in the commons he thought that when all possible draftees had been taken from industry under examinations now in progress, future call-up requirements would be met by men reaching the age of 18½ years.

The minister said figures showed that Canada had reached the point where she was pulling her fair weight in the war on a par with other nations.

"That's a condition the opposition, the government and the commons should feel rightly proud of," he said.

His department had been conducting a check to see what men could be spared from industry, he continued, answering Howard Green (P.C., Vancouver, South), who asked information on where the minister expected to obtain men to meet call-up requirements.

About 100,000 young men reached military age each year and the minister said he could guess that about 50,000 of these would be available for service in the forces under the National Resources Mobilization Act.

Mr. Green said he thought only a small number could be called in the older age groups and he said he wondered if the government proposed to call men into the service at 18 years rather than 18½. Mr. Mitchell replied he could not tell what the future would bring. Men were called at 18 in the United States.

Men on postponement were being re-examined, specially those who had been examined medically by private doctors.

"But we are about at the bottom of the barrel," said the minister.

He could put 100,000 persons to work if they could be found and that indicated what had been done in providing men for the forces and industry.

In a democratic country like Canada, "we have to be more or less cautious in pushing people around."

Mr. Green said the minister should say what class of men on deferment would be called last, and Mr. Mitchell replied that food and equipment supplies could not be depleted without danger.

"Without conscription this country is as well organized as any country on the side of the United Nations, and the figures indicate that every place we can find a man we are taking him for war," the minister continued.

Mr. Green said there appeared to be no policy on calling men after taking in those now on deferment.

Mr. Mitchell said he would not let it be said there was no policy. The problem was one which had to be dealt with from day to day and the policy was altered in light of conditions.

Mr. Green: "A very indefinite policy."

There had been talk of a "man-power muddle" in Canada during the last session, but the experience of other countries, and the production of weapons of war and other essential output had shown how successful the Canadian policy had been, Mr. Mitchell said.

Mr. Mitchell said he did not think more men could be taken from farms and military equipment had to be supplied. Men had to be retained in the basic industries, but industrial engineers were examining industries to see what men could be spared.

QUESTIONS AND ANSWERS

PORT KNOX, Ky.—Alex Cooley, 20, was inducted in the army from Lewis county recently, and during his first few days at Fort Knox, the top sergeant sent him into town on an errand.

When Pte. Cooley returned, the sentry challenged him with the usual, "Who goes there?"

"You wouldn't know me if I told you 'cause I just got here," Pte. Cooley replied.

After he got out of the guard house, Pte. Cooley wrote friends in Lewis county, "This army is a funny business . . . they ask you 'Who goes there?' and what they mean is 'What is the pass-word?'"

POLICE AGREEMENT

EDMONTON.—An order-in-council passed by the Alberta government authorizes a five-year renewal of the agreement between the Dominion and provincial governments under which the R.C.M.P. will do policing of the province. The present agreement, made June 1, 1938, expires May 31 this year.

NAZI AIRPLANE

A New Type Has Been Reported By Canadian Airmen

LONDON.—A new type of German airplane was reported by Canadian airmen who hampered railway yards at St. Ghislain, Belgium, in a heavy attack described as "highly successful."

The German plane "was a peculiar looking thing," said P.O. Martin Albert of Mirror, Alta., a Lion squadron bomb aimer. "It was something like a rocket that rose to a certain height and then spurted off on a horizontal plane."

Possibility Of No Quota For Wheat This Year

OTTAWA.—Ottawa authorities saw the possibility that western marketings may be permitted in the crop year 1944-45 without quotas limiting amounts which may be delivered by producers.

In recent years a heavy surplus of wheat and limited storage accommodation made it possible for wheat deliveries to elevators to be continued without a check. In the present crop year, which ends July 31, the limitation first was that of a producer might deliver 14 bushels of wheat per acre of land devoted to wheat production and authorized under quota regulations.

This quota later was raised to 18 bushels an acre as wheat sales to the United States and other buyers continued at a high level.

Trade Minister MacKinnon told the commons that the quantity of wheat marketable in the coming crop year now is being studied. A decision cannot easily be reached as the volume of the new 1944 crop cannot be established and there is uncertainty as to the transportation facilities to be available for the movement of grain in 1944-45.

But at present the demand for all Canadian grains is running at very high levels and there are indications it will continue. The sales have eased the storage position in both western country and terminal elevators and space is becoming available for more grain now held on farms.

The improvement is indicated by the official estimate that the carry-over of wheat on July 31 will be about 350,000,000 bushels, compared with more than 600,000,000 on the same date last year.

Oats and barley are in good demand and there will be no difficulty in disposing of surpluses of these grains in the 1944 crop, Mr. MacKinnon said.

Minimum prices for the feed grains are being continued in 1944-45 and officials said another factor encouraging major production in the present year was continuation of payments from equalization funds which ensure that all producers benefit from the higher returns received for these grains sold in the United States.

Advance payments from the equalization funds are made at time of delivery, and these amount to 10 cents a bushel for oats and 15 cents a bushel for barley. The delivery quotas on oats and barley are open.

Action Leader



Count Carlo Sforza, leader of the Italian Action Party, who is one of the five ministers without portfolio in Badoglio's new cabinet.

AIR TRAINING

Schools Which Are Being Closed Will Be Utilized Again

CALGARY.—Schools in the British Commonwealth Air Training Plan which are being closed as aircrew training centres "will definitely be utilized," and "plans are now in hand" for their utilization, said Air Marshal Robert Leckie, C.B., chief of air staff, R.C.A.F., in an interview here.

Contraction in the air training plan was not a matter of regret, as "it shows we are in the fortunate position" that quantity production of aircrew is no longer necessary, he stated.

"We have achieved our first objective—quantity. Now we can concentrate on quality," in aircrew training, he said.

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Here's one Victory Loan canvasser who didn't have to use much sales talk to sell bonds. The two customers are Flight Lieutenants, both holders of the Distinguished Flying Cross, repatriated after tours of duty overseas and now in training as pilots for Trans-Canada Air Lines. They know the war first hand and they know what the Victory Loans mean to men in the heat of battle.

Ft. Lt. John B. Higham, D.F.C., Assiniboia, Sask., (left) was going to school—when, as he says, he wasn't playing hockey—before joining the R.C.A.F. for bombing operations. Ft. Lt. Allan L. Watts, D.F.C. (right), of Calgary, taught school at Athabasca, Alta., before going on raids over Europe and the Middle East. He is married. The canvasser is Mrs. D. H. Christie, whose husband is a R.C.A.F. Flight Officer now instructing in England. She works in the T.C.A. offices at Winnipeg. The photograph was taken in the T.C.A. Link Trainer room where repatriated airmen get some of their commercial air line training before going on the line as pilots.

FARM MACHINERY

Production Confined To Types Essential To Output Of Foodstuffs

OTTAWA.—H. H. Bloom, administration of farm and construction machinery for the prices board, announced total tonnage of farm machinery produced in 1945 will be approximately half the tonnage manufactured in 1940 and 1941, and said there will be no restriction on the production of spare parts for farm machinery.

Mr. Bloom said tonnage devoted to the 1945 manufacturing program will be confined to those types of machinery designated by Canadian agricultural authorities as essential to Canada's output of foodstuffs.

In addition to their output for equipment for ordinary domestic use, Canadian manufacturers are being asked to produce an additional tonnage of equipment specifically for the establishment of war veterans on the land.

"Rationing will continue to be necessary, and only the most urgent and essential needs can be met . . . Canadian manufacturers and importers will be permitted to commence production and import of 1945 equipment quotas, July 1, 1944, but as it takes approximately six months to produce most machines after ordering materials, very little of the 1945 quotas will reach Canadian farmers before January, 1945."

AVIATION PROJECT

About Four Hundred Airports Are Planned For Canada

TORONTO.—Plans of the Aeronautical Institute of Canada for development of about 400 airports and landing strips across the Dominion at a cost of about \$20,000,000 were outlined at the institute's second annual convention by President C. Roy Patterson.

Mr. Patterson advocated that the municipalities and provincial and federal governments share equally in the cost of such projects.

POST-WAR TRADE

Britain Wants To Return To Trade Routes After The War

CHARLESTON, W. Va.—Great Britain wants to return to the world's trade routes after the war but that is not a matter which should cause concern to two countries who each want the partner to be vigorous and strong, Viscount Halifax said here.

Speaking at the annual dinner of the Charleston chamber of commerce, the British ambassador said: "It is no luxury standard we are out to get. The plain fact is that we must revive our shipping and our overseas trade, not in order that we may live well, but in order that we may live at all."

Canadian Navy In North Patrol Did A Fine Job

AN EASTERN CANADIAN PORT.—First Royal Canadian Navy ships to patrol the icy waters of Labrador, a flotilla of sub-chasing motor launches are back in their home port here after three gruelling months of coastal work in the north Atlantic sea lanes.

The M.L. flotilla, made up of six sub-chasers under the command of Lieut. Jack Sharp, R.C.N.V.R., of Duncan, B.C., a veteran M.L. officer who received his training in Britain's speedy motor torpedo boats in the English channel, operated as a striking force from its "mother" ship—H.M.C.S. "Preserver."

(The Royal Canadian Navy recently announced that the navy has had two motor ships in service for more than a year. The other one is H.M.C.S. "Provider." They serve as fuel, supply and repair bases for the M.L.'s.)

"Despite monotonous routine, constant patrolling, cold weather, dehydrated food and all the numerous discomforts that go with the guarding of northern territory, the morale of the crews was wonderful," said Lieut. Ross McDermid of Winnipeg.

"I never thought such a bunch of kids could brave it like they did."

"We hardly ever went ashore," he continued, "but when we did we were glad to get back to the boats."

The flotilla didn't contact any U-boats, but the men all agreed that their presence there was the cause of no ship sinkings.

"We felt that because we were there the sub gave us a wide margin," said Lieut. Gavin of Toronto, a 21-year-old commanding officer, "and believe me the ships passing by felt very much the same way."

"The weather and icebergs were our greatest hazards," he said. "One day we hit into the biggest sea I've ever seen. We were lugging 25 to 30-foot waves and could make only three knots. But the boats came through untouched. Some of the icebergs towered as high as 350 feet and we had some pretty close calls."

The only discomfort the men actually complained about was the food situation and their main desire, they all agreed, was to put their teeth into a fat, juicy steak. "The only vegetables were dehydrated and the meat was all frozen."

"The meals," Clark said, "finally boiled down to soup, bread and jam and two vitamin pills." But nobody felt the worse for it."

Nazi Paratroops Transferred To Danger Zones

LONDON.—Canadian troops in the storming of Fortress Europe may find themselves at grips with Hitler's paratroops who provided such fierce opposition in last December's battle for the Italian coastal town of Ortona.

The Berlin radio has reported transfer of Nazi paratroops from Italy to "danger zones" on the German Atlantic wall and these troops are fanatical specialists in war at close quarters. While the opposition they provided in its converted Ortona into a pocket-Stalingrad, they were beaten by Canadians of the 1st Division.

Reports from neutral Sweden say German defences—against what will be history's greatest amphibious operation—include radio-controlled bombs, magnet submarines, shore-based torpedo tubes, and offshore minefields which can be detonated by a button. There also will be coastal artillery.

Four-fifths of the German air force is believed now in the west to meet the invasion, and E-boats and destroyers are expected to appear when waves of invasion shipping arrive.

Behind the defences along 3,000 miles of coast are expected to be reserve troop pools, from which counter-attacks will develop. Estimates of German strength in the west vary, but the most popular is 50 divisions in France and the Low Countries, five in Denmark, and 12 in Norway.

One version of German strategy is that the eastern front has been left weak on the ground that the last hope of victory depends on beating the invasion. If the threat from the west were defeated, Hitler then could turn his full strength against the east, according to this version.

GERMAN GENERAL

Captured By British Officer During A Raid On Crete

LONDON.—Maj-Gen. Heinrich Kreipe, who was captured by British officers during a raid on Crete, had perhaps 20,000 Nazi troops under his command at the time he was seized, it was learned.

Kreipe was commander of the 22nd Panzer Grenadiers, known as the Sevastopol division, and holds the knight's cross of the Iron Cross. Announcement of his capture was made in Cairo.

AID FOR CHINA

Britain Will Loan \$200,000,000 And Supply Military Equipment

LONDON.—Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden announced the signing of agreements under which Britain will loan China up to 50,000,000 pounds (\$200,000,000) and supply her with military equipment on a lend-lease basis.

Mr. Eden expressed the government's satisfaction that "in this and other ways we have made manifest our desire to give China all the help that lies within our power."

SAIL FOR MIDDLE EAST

LONDON.—The first members of the Women's Auxiliary Air Force to serve overseas in a contingent have sailed from a British port in a luxury liner for an unannounced destination. The girls, who include such trades as clerks, wireless operators, teleprinters, nursing orderlies and hairdressers, didn't know their destination except that it was the Middle East.

TRIBUTE TO WOMEN

OTTAWA.—The prices board has announced that the week of May 22 to 27 has been set aside as a tribute to the women of Canada for their part in the program of economic stabilization. Anti-inflation exhibits will be arranged in many parts of the Dominion and tributes will be paid to the Canadian housewife, personified as "Mrs. Consumer."

MORE MAPS SEIZED

STOCKHOLM.—Two thousand maps covering various Swedish-Norwegian border areas were seized by Swedish authorities in transit from Oslo to Finland, it was announced here. The maps were the third consignment of German maps which turned up in Sweden in recent weeks.

FEWER NAZI PLANES

LONDON.—Victor Lewis, aviation expert of the Daily Express, commenting on the reluctance of the Nazi air force to engage Allied bombers, estimated Germany's total remaining fighter strength at 1,500 planes.

Canadian Cap Seems To Fit



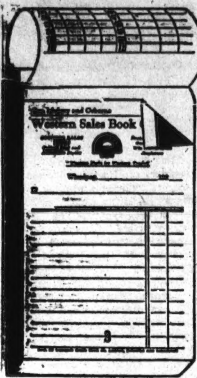
Subaltern Mary Churchill of the A.T.S. here dons the C.W.A.C. uniform given to her recently in Britain. She makes a nice-looking Canadian, doesn't she?

Anthony Eden Off Duty



British Foreign Secretary Anthony Eden and Nipper are good friends.

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The mountain highway between Field and Banff was opened to traffic on Tuesday of this week.

A dance will be held at the Crow's Nest Lake pavilion on the night of Tuesday, May 23rd, with Frank Edl's orchestra supplying music.

Tomorrow is your last chance to get in on the Victory Loan. The local campaign has been going exceedingly strong during the past few days.

The Blaimore Union cemetery is now being subjected to a cleanup. Dead grass, trees and other rubbish are being burned, and the fences are in process of repair.

Jean Jodoin and Philip Cutler, American Federation of Labor organizers, were at Three Rivers, Quebec, sentenced to six months in jail on charges of having counselled war workers to strike, to remain on strike, and to urge fellow workers to strike.

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Local and General Items

The Editor will be glad to receive items for this section, regarding visitors entertained, parties leaving for holidays or short trips, bridge parties, teas, showers, presentations, anniversaries, etc. Please items in to 11 or hand them in at The Enterprise office not later than Thursday evenings.

Provincial Treasurer Solon E. Low has been quite ill with pneumonia.

A supply of brass has been released for the manufacture of safety pins in Canada this year.

EYES EXAMINED at Blaimore Pharmacy tomorrow, Saturday.—E. J. ANDERSON, B.Sc.

Canada last year consumed fifty per cent more citrus fruits than in any normal pre-war year.

It is estimated that the women of Canada do about 80 per cent of the spending in this country.

A campaign to teach every adult in Ceylon to read a newspaper is being launched in the island.

India by the end of the year 1944-45 will have given the USA \$248,750,000 worth of goods and services through reciprocal aid.

The ladies of St. Luke's church will hold a tea and sale of home cooking in the Anglican hall tomorrow (Saturday) afternoon from 3 to 6.

Hubby: "Darling, what's wrong? Why the handage on your eye?"
Wifey: "Don't be funny. This is my new hat."

A 73-year-old man walked into the sheriff's office at St. Helens, Oregon, to confess that 38 years ago he had murdered a crippled school teacher, Walter O. Smith, 28.

Thieves entered the Larder drug store at Delta on Friday morning last and made a complete get-away with the safe containing \$6,000 in cash and securities.

The annual meeting of the League of Nations Society will be held at McGill University, Montreal, on May 26 and 27.

"Tell me, sweet," said Dora, taking a last look in the mirror before stepping out with her lieutenant, "Is my hat on?"

In the Victory Loan drive, Coleman went over the top on Tuesday. Coleman's objective was \$102,000 and now stands at about \$110,000.

FOR SALE—Two Saddle Horses. Mare, 5 years, gentle, also harness broke; kid's pony, 12 years, gentle. \$30 each. L. Robertson, Lundbreck.

The teacher was testing the observation ability of the kindergarten class. Slapping a half-dollar on the desk, she said sharply: "What is that?" Instantly a voice from the back row cried: "Tail!"

Joanne Mary MacQuarrie, of Coleman, was among the eleven nurses to receive awards at the Vancouver General hospital recently, receiving the Seldon prize for highest standing in surgical nursing.

Joseph L. Tuffeland, aged 46, of Lethbridge, was killed in an automobile accident near Cardston on Thursday night of last week. Tuffeland was proprietor of the Tuffeland Beauty Studio and Paramount Academy of Beauty Culture at Lethbridge, and at one time operated in this district.

Blaimore had a visit on Tuesday from Rev. W. T. Young, of Edmonton, president of the Alberta Conference of the United Church. Mr. Young had just returned from a big meeting of leaders held in Toronto. While here he had the pleasure of meeting many old friends. He returned to Edmonton on Wednesday.

The editor asked Commander King of the HMCS Stettler, during the banquet in his honor on Friday noon, whether the sailors would have their wives at every port. Commander King replied that there were over 2,000 ports in the United States alone, so that the term "every port" covers too much territory.—Stettler Independent.

Calgary's threatened strike of bartenders was called off.

George Michael Porter, of Cowley, has been appointed commissioner for oaths.

Angelo Gentile, now resident of Vancouver, was a visitor with friends at Coleman last week.

The difference between learning to play golf and learning to drive a car is that in golf you don't hit anything.

Two of four British destroyers have been added to the Royal Canadian Navy as gifts, the Algonquin and Sioux.

Down in Washington they're considering the designing of some system of cutting the too common red tape.

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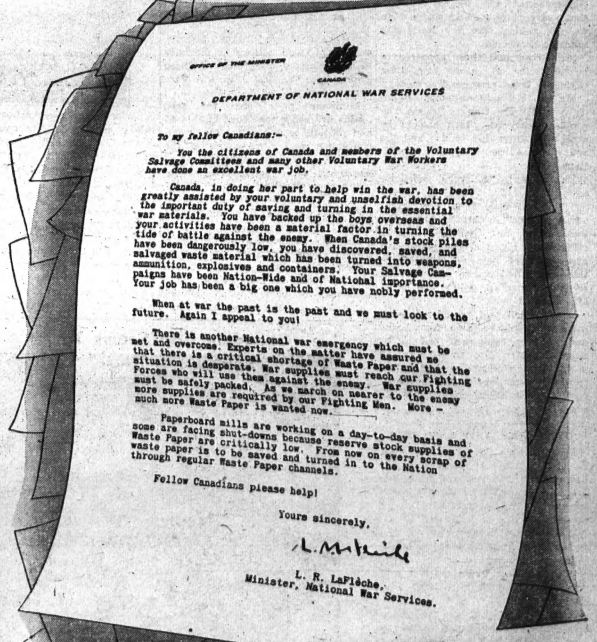
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Canada, in doing her part to help win the war, has been greatly assisted by your voluntary and unselfish devotion to the important duty of saving and turning in the essential war materials. You have backed up the boys overseas and your activities have been a material factor in turning the tide of battle against the enemy. When Canada's stock piles have been dangerously low, you have discovered, saved, and salvaged waste material which has been turned into weapons, ammunition, explosives and containers. Your Salvage Campaign have been Nation-wide and of National importance. Your job has been a big one which you have nobly performed.

When at war the past is the past and we must look to the future. Again I appeal to you!

There is another National war emergency which must be met and overcome. Experts on the matter have assured us that there is a critical shortage of Waste Paper and that the situation is desperate. War supplies must reach our fighting forces who will use them against the enemy. War supplies must be safely packed. As we march on nearer to the enemy much more Waste Paper is wanted now.

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National War Services.

CANADA NEEDS 20,000 TONS OF WASTE PAPER EVERY MONTH

WHAT IS WANTED: You can remedy this critical paper shortage by saving every scrap of Waste Paper, namely: wrapping paper—more Waste Paper, cartons—corrugated board—bag—cardboard—envelopes and old magazines and books—newspapers. These represent the raw material for making vitally needed Paper containers.

HOW TO DO IT: Tie securely in separate bundles (The little time you take will save thousands of man hours). Then dispose of it through your local Voluntary Salvage Committee or other War Voluntary Organization, or sell it through any known trade channels, or peddle or others. The important thing is to get your Waste Paper moving to the mills.

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